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The Two Vanrevels

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Nor was Mrs. Tanberry's prediction
allowed to go unfulfilled regarding the
advent of those persons whom she had
designated as vagabonds. It may have
been out of deference to Mr. Carew's
sense of decorum or from a cautious
regard of what he was liable to do
when he considered that sense outraged
the points of honor had placed
themselves under the severe restraint
of allowing three days to elapse after
their introduction to Miss Carey be-
fore they "paid their respects at the
house," but, be that as it may, the dic-
tator was now safely under way down
the Rotten river, and Mrs. Tanberry
reigned in his stead. Thus, at about 8
o'clock that evening, the two ladies sat
in the library engaged in conversation,
though, for the sake of accuracy, it
should be said that Mrs. Tanberry was
engaged in conversation, Miss Betty in
giving ear, when their attention was
arrested by sounds of a somewhat mis-
cellaneous nature from the lawn, which
sounds were immediately identified as
emanating from a flute and violin.

Mrs. Tanberry bounded across the
room like a public building caught by a
cyclone, and, dashing at the candles,
"Blow 'em out, blow 'em out!" she ex-
claimed, snuffing the action to the word
in a flutter of excitement.

"Why?" asked Miss Carey, startled,
as she rose to her feet. The candles
were out before the question.

"Why?" repeated the merry, husky
voice in the darkness. "My goodness,
child, precious, those vagabonds are
here! To think of your never having
been serenaded before!"

She drew the girl to the window and
pointed to a group of dim figures near
the lilac bushes. "The dear, delightful
vagabonds!" she chuckled. "I know
they'd come! It's the beautiful Tap-
pingham Marsh with his liddle and
young Jeff Barend with his flute and
'Gene Madrilion and little Frank Chen-
oweth and this Will Cummings to slug
Hark to the music!"

It is perfectly truthful to say that
the violin and flute executed the pre-
lude, and then the trio sounded full on
the evening air, the more effective
chords obligingly drawn out as long as
the breath in the singers could hold
them in order to allow the two fair
auditors complete benefit of the har-
mony. They sang "The Harp That
Once Through Tara's Halls" and fol-
lowed it with "Long Long Ago."

"That," Mrs. Tanberry whispered be-
tween stifled gusts of almost uncon-
trollable laughter, "is meant for just
me."

"Tell me the tales that to me were
so dear," entreated the trio.

"I told 'em plenty," gurgled the en-
livening widow, "and I expect between
us we can get up some more."

"Now you are come my grief is re-
moved," they sang.

"They mean your father is on his
way to St. Louis," remarked Mrs. Tan-
berry.

"Let me forget that so long you have
roved,
Let me believe that you love as you loved
Long, long ago, long ago."

"Applaud, applaud!" whispered Mrs.
Tanberry, encouraging the minstrels
by a hearty clapping of hands.

Then the candles were relit and the
serenaders invited within. Nelson came
bearing cake and wine, and the house
was made merry. Presently the romp,
Virginia Barend, making her appear-
ance on the arm of General Trumble,
Mrs. Tanberry led them all in a hearty
game of blind man's buff, followed by
as hearty a dancing of Dan Tucker.
After that, a quadrille being proposed,
Mrs. Tanberry suggested that Jef-
ferson should run home and bring Fan-
chon for the fourth lady. However,
Virginia explained that she had en-
deavored to persuade both her sister
and Mr. Gray to accompany the gen-
eral and herself, but that Mr. Gray had
complained of indisposition, having suf-
fered greatly from headache on ac-
count of inhaling so much smoke at
the warehouse fire, and, of course, Fan-
chon would not leave him. (Miss Ca-
rey, permitted herself the slightest
shrug of the shoulders.)

So they danced the quadrille with
Jefferson at the piano and Mr. Marsh
performing in the character of a lady,
a proceeding most unacceptable to the
general, whom Mrs. Tanberry forced to
be his partner. And thus the evening
passed gayly away. Tappingham
Marsh spoke the truth, indeed, when
he exclaimed in parting, "Oh, rare Mrs.
Tanberry!"

But the house had not done with ser-
enades that night. The guests had long
since departed; the windows were still
and dark under the wan old moon,
which had risen lamely, looking unfa-
miliar and not half itself; the air bore
an odor of lateness, and nothing moved,
when a delicate harmony stole out
of the shadows beyond the misty gar-
den. Low but resonant chords sound-
ed on the heavier strings of a guitar,
while above them, upon the lighter
wires, rippled a slender, tinkling mel-
ody that wooed the slumberer to a de-
licious half wakefulness as dreamily,
as tenderly as the croon of rain on the
roof soothes a child to sleep. Under the
artist's cunning touch the instrument
was both the accompaniment and the
song, and Miss Betty, at first taking
the music to be a wandering thread in
the fabric of her own bright dreams,

drifted gradually to consciousness to
find herself smiling. Her eyes opened
wide, but half closed again with the
ineffable sweetness of the sound.

Then a voice was heard, eerily low,
yet gallant and clear, a vibrant bar-
itone, singing to the guitar:

"My lady's hair,
That dark delight,
Is both as fair
And dark as night.
I know some joveless hearts that beat
In time to moonbeam twinklings fleet,
That dance and glance like jewels there,
Emblazoning the raven hair."

"Ah, raven hair,
So dark and bright!
What love lies there
Enmeshed tonight?
I know some sighing hearts that say
Their hearts were smothered and torn away,
And now as pearls one fate they share
Entangled in the raven hair."

"Ah, raven hair,
From such a sight
Could you not spare
One acolyte?
I know a broken heart that went
To serve you but as ornament—
"Oh, it was not he," returned Miss
Betty quickly. "It was Mr. Gray. Did
not you?"

"My dear," interrupted the other,
"Crailley Gray's specialty is talking.
Most of the vagabonds can sing and
play a bit, and so can Crailley, particu-
larly when he's had a few bowls of
punch, but when Tom Vanrevel touches
the guitar and lifts up his voice to sing
there isn't an angel in heaven that
wouldn't quit the place and come to
hear him! Crailley wrote those words
to Virginia Barend. (Her hair is even
darker than yours, you know.) That
was when he was being engaged to her,
and Tom must have set the music to
"em lately and now comes here to sing
"em to you, and well enough they fit
you. But you must keep him away,
princess."

Nevertheless Betty knew the voice
was not that which had bid her look to
the stars, and she remained convinced
that it belonged to Mr. Crailley Gray,
who had been too ill a few hours earlier
to leave the Barend house, and now,
with Fanchon's kisses on his lips, came
stealing into her garden and sang to
her a song he had made for another
girl.

If there was one person in the world
whom Miss Betty held in bitter con-
tempt and scorn, it was the owner of
that voice and that guitar.

CHAPTER X.

MORE than three gentlemen of
Rotten wore their hearts in
their eyes for any foot to gaze
upon, but three was the num-
ber of those who told their love before
the end of the first week of Mr. Ca-
rey's absence, and told it in spite of
Mrs. Tanberry's utmost effort to pre-
serve, at all times, a conjunction be-
tween herself and Miss Betty.

Miss Carey honored each of the lorn
three with a few minutes of gravity,
but the gentle refusal prevented never
a swain from being as truly her follow-
er as before, not that she resorted to
the poor device of half dismissal, the
everyday method of the schoolgirl flirt,
who thus keeps the lads in dalliance, but
because, even for the rejected, it was a

delight to be near her. For that matter,
it is said that no one ever had enough
of mere looking at her. Also, her
talk was enlivening even to the lively,
being spiced with surprising turns and
anubly seasoned with the art of bad-
inage. To use the phrase of the time,
she possessed the accomplishments, an
antiquated charm now on the point of
disappearing, so carefully has it been
snubbed under whenever exhibited.

She sketched magnificently. This is
the very strongest support for the as-
sertion: Frank Chenoweth and Tap-
pingham Marsh agreed, with tears of
enthusiasm, that "magnificently" was
the only word. They came to this con-
clusion as they sat together at the end
of a long dinner, at which very little
had been eaten, after a day's picnic by
the river. Miss Carey had been of
their company, and Tappingham and
Chenoweth found each his opportunity
in the afternoon. The party was small
and no one had been able to effect a
total unconsciousness of the maneuvers
of the two gentlemen. Even Fanchon
Barend comprehended languidly,
though she was more blured than ever,
and her faraway eyes belied the me-
chanical vivacity of her manner, for
Crailley was thirty miles down the river
with a fishing rod neatly packed in a
leather case.

Mr. Vanrevel, of course, was not in-
vited. No one would have thought of
asking him to join a small party of
which Robert Carey's daughter was to
be a member, but it was happiness
enough for him that night to lie hid-
den in the shrubbery looking up at the
stars between the leaves while he lis-
tened to her harp and borne through the
open window on enchanted airs the
voice of Elizabeth Carey singing
"Robin Adair."

It was now that the town indulged
its liveliest spirit. Never an evening
lacked its junketing, while the happy
folk of Rotten set the early summer
to music. Serenade, dance and song
for them, the light hearts, young and
old making gay together. It was all
laughter, either in sunshine or by can-
dlight, undisturbed by the far thun-
der of the southern horizon, where
Zachary Taylor had pitched his tent,
upon the Rio Grande.

One fair evening soon after that ex-
cursion which had proved fatal to the
hopes of the handsome Tappingham
and of the youthful Chenoweth it was
the privilege of Mr. Thomas Vanrevel
to assist Miss Carey and her chaperon
from their carriage as they drove up to
a dance at the Barends'. This good
fortune fell only to great deserving,
for he had spent an hour lurking outside
the house in the hope of performing
such offices for them.

Heaven was in his soul, and the
breath departed out of his body when,
after a moment of hesitation, Miss
Betty's little lace-gloved hand was
placed in his, and her white slip-
per shimmered out from the lilac
flounces of her dress to fall like a ben-
ediction, he thought, on each of the
carriage steps.

It was the age of garlands. They
wreathed the muses, the seasons and
their speech, so the women wore
wreaths in their hair, and Miss Betty's
that night was of marguerites. "Read
your fortune in them all," whispered
Tom's heart, "and of whomsoever you
wish to learn every petal will say, 'He
loves you; none declare he loves you
not!'"

She bowed slightly, but did not speak
to him, which was perhaps a better
reception than that accorded the young
man by her companion. "Oh, it's you,
is it?" was Mrs. Tanberry's courteous
observation as she canted the vehicle
in her descent. She looked sharply at
Miss Betty, and even the small glow of
the carriage lamps showed that the girl's
cheeks had flushed very red. Mr. Van-
revel, on the contrary, was pale.

They stood for a moment in awkward
silence, while from the lighted house
where the flying figures circled came
the waltz, "I Dreamt That I
Dwelt in Ma-har-bie Halls." Tom's
own dreams were much wilder than
the kypsy girl's, he knew that, yet he
spoke out bravely:

"Will you dance the first two with
me?"

Miss Betty bit her lip, frowned, turned
away and, vouchsafing no reply,
walked toward the house with her
eyes fixed on the ground; but just as
they reached the door she flashed over
him a look that scorched him from
head to foot and sent his spits down
through the soles of his boots to ex-
cavate a grotto in the depths of the
earth, so charged it was with wrathful
pity and contempt.

"Yes!" she said abruptly and follow-
ed Mrs. Tanberry to the dressing room.

The elder lady shook her head sol-
emnly as she emerged from the en-
trance of a yellow silk cloak. "Ah,
princess," she said, touching the girl's
shoulder with her jeweled hand, "I told
you I was a very foolish woman, and I
am, but not so foolish as to offer ad-
vice often. Yet, believe me, it won't
do. I think that is one of the greatest
young men I ever knew, and it's a pity
—but it won't do."

Miss Betty kept her face away from
her guardian for a moment. No incon-
siderable amount of information had
drifted to her from here and there re-
garding the career of Crailley Gray,
and she thought how intensely she
would have hated any person in the
world except Mrs. Tanberry for pre-
suming to think she needed to be warn-
ed against the charms of this serena-
ding lady killer who was the property
of another girl.

"You must keep him away, I think,"
ventured Mrs. Tanberry gently.

At that Betty turned to her and said
sharply:

"I will. After this please let us never
speak of him again."

A slow nod of the other's turbaned
head indicated the gravest acquies-
cence. She saw that her companion's
cheeks were still crimson. "I under-
stand," said she.

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Betty as she moved away, talking
cheerily to the general. Tom was left
standing alone in the broken semi-
circle.

All the eyes swept from her to him
and back. Then every one began to
talk hastily about nothing. The young
man's humiliation was public.

He went to the door under cover of
the movement of the various couples
to find places in the quadrille, yet ev-
ery sidelong glance in the room still
remained upon him, and he knew it. He
remained in the hall alone through that
dance and at its conclusion walked
slowly through the rooms, speaking to
people here and there as though noth-
ing had happened, but when the music
sounded again he went to the dressing
room, found his hat and cloak and left

A buzz of whispering, like a July bee,
followed Miss Carey and her
partner about the room during the next
dance. How had Tom managed it?
Had her father never told her? Who
had dared to introduce them? Fanchon
was the only one who knew, and as
she whirled by with Will Cummings
she raised her absent glance long
enough to give Tom an affectionate
and warning shake of the head.

Tom did not see this. Miss Carey
did. Alas! She smiled upon him in-
stantly and looked deep into his eyes.
It was the third time.

She was not afraid of this man flirt.
He was to be settled with once and
forever. She intended to avenge both
Fanchon and herself. Yet it is a haz-
ardous game, this piercing of eye with
eye, because the point which seeks to
penetrate may soften and melt, leaving
one defenseless. For perhaps ten se-
conds that straight look lasted, while it
seemed to her that she read clear into
the soul of him and to behold it through
some befuddling magic as strong, ten-
der, wise and true as his outward ap-
pearance would have made an innocent
stranger believe him, for he looked all
these things, she admitted that much,
and he had an air of distinction and
resource beyond any she had ever
known; even in the wild scramble for
her kitten he had not lost it. So for
ten seconds, which may be a long time,
she saw a man such as she had dream-
ed, and she did not believe her slight,
because she had no desire to be as cred-
ulous as the others, to be as easily
cheated as that poor Fanchon!

The luckless Tom found his own feet
beautiful on the mountains and, tread-
ing the heights with airy steps, ap-
peared to himself wonderful and glori-
fied—he was waltzing with Miss Betty!
He breathed the entrancing words to
himself over and over. It was true he
was waltzing with Miss Betty Carey!
Her glove lay warm and light within
his own. His fingers clasped that in-
effable lilac and white brocade waist.
Sometimes her hair came within an
inch of his cheek, and then he rose out-
right from the hilltops and floated in a
golden mist. The glamour of which the
inexorable had planned to tell her some-
day surrounded Tom, and it seemed to
him that the whole world was covered
with a beautiful light like a carpet,
which was but the radiance of this
adorable girl whom his gloves and
coat sleeve were permitted to touch.
When the music stopped they followed
in the train of other couples seeking the
coolness of out of doors for the inter-
val, and Tom in his soul laughed at all
other men with illimitable condescen-
sion.

"Stop here," she said as they reached
the open gate. He was walking out of
it, his head in the air and Miss Betty
on his arm. Apparently he would
have walked straight across the state.
It was the happiest moment he had
ever known.

He wanted to say something wonder-
ful to her. His speech should be like
the music and glory and fire that were
in him. Therefore he was shocked to
hear himself remarking, with an inani-
ty of utterance that sickened him:

"Oh, here's the gate, isn't it?"

Her answer was a short laugh. "You
mean you wish to persuade me that
you had forgotten it was there?"

"I did not see it," he protested lam-
bently.

"No?"

"I wasn't thinking of it."

"Indeed! You were lost in thoughts
of—"

"Of you!" he said before he could
check himself.

"Yes?" Her tone was as quietly con-
temptuous as she could make it. "How
very frank of you! May I ask are you
convinced that speeches of that sort are
always to a lady's liking?"

"No," he answered humbly and hung
his head. Then she threw the question
at him abruptly:

"Was it you who came to sing in our
garden?"

There was a long pause before a pro-
found sigh came tremulously from the
darkness, like a sad and tender con-
fession. "Yes."

"I thought so," she exclaimed. "Mrs.
Tanberry thought it was some one else,
but I know that it was you."

"Yes, you are right," he said quietly.
"It was I. It was my only way to tell
you what you know now."

"Of course!" She set it all aside with
those two hands and the slightest ges-
ture of her word. "It was a song made
for another girl, I believe?" she asked
lightly and, with an icy smile, inquired
further. "For the one—the one before
the last, I understand?"

He lifted his head, surprised. "What
has that to do with it? The music was
made for you; but, then, I think all
music was made for you."

"Leave the music out of it, if you
please," she said impatiently. "Your
talents make you modest! No doubt
you consider it unmanly in me to
have referred to the serenade before
you spoke of it, but I am not one to
cast down my eyes and let it pass—no,
nor one too sweet to face the truth,
either!" she cried, with sudden passion.
"To sing that song in the way you did
meant—oh, you thought I would flirt
with you! What right had you to come
with such a song to me?"

Tom intended only to disclaim the
presumption, so far from his thoughts,
that his song had moved her, for he
could see that her attack was prompt-
ed by her inexplicable impression that
he had assumed the attitude of a con-
queror, but his explanation began un-
fortunately.

"Forgive me. I think you have com-
pletely misunderstood. You thought it
meant something I did not intend at
all, and—"

"What?" she said, and her eyes blaz-
ed, for now she beheld him as the ar-
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"Forgive me. Miss Carey has hon-
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He bowed, offering his arm, and none
of them was too vain to envy that bow
and gesture.

For a moment he remained waiting.
Miss Carey rose slowly and, directly
facing him, said in composed and even
voice, "You force me to beg you never
to address me again."

She placed her hand on the general's
arm, turning her back squarely upon
Tom.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 16.

The regular session of the legislature adjourned Tuesday night at 12 o'clock, but was called to meet in extra session on Wednesday at noon to pass a rectifier's law and also to pass a law enlarging the powers of revenue agents.

The legislature passed the Revenue and Taxation bill on the last day of its session which increases the taxes considerably. This legislature also created several new offices and increased the annual expenditures of the State many thousands of dollars. It is up to the taxpayer to ask whether a public office in Kentucky is a public trust or a private snap.

Governor Beckham on Saturday forwarded to the Senate the names of General Percy Haley, of Frankfort; Dr. Milton Board, of Hopkinsville, and Judge D. B. Redwine, of Jackson, as members of the Board of Control, to have charge of the State Insane Asylum and charitable institutions under the law just enacted by the General Assembly. The compensation of each member will be \$2,500 a year and his necessary traveling expenses.

The bill before the present Legislature regarding land titles in Eastern Kentucky affects Breathitt county probably more than any other county in the State, and we hope that some bill will be passed to help clear the titles in this county. All of Eastern Kentucky needs some law to make property secure under some title without any fear of lawsuits, but to have it done at one session of our lawmakers by men of whom but few are familiar with the complications is asking too much and really doing more harm than good.

Breathitt county is covered probably three times by patents. Virginia and Kentucky patents conflict in many parts; senior and junior Kentucky grants conflict. We believe the Court of Appeals have never had a fair or good understanding of the extent of this trouble.

Now, our idea of the manner in which to form a law to, for once and all, overcome, to a great extent, if not entirely, the complications which exist and to make titles more secure would be to have a commission consisting of three of the best land lawyers in Eastern Kentucky, Virginia or West Virginia appointed to investigate the matter. Have them spend at least two years in their investigation and make a report to the next General Assembly following their appointment and if there is any way to overcome the great volume of litigation brought about by the lapping of these grants and the attempts of holders of almost worthless titles to require people to pay more than once for their property, then this committee would be able to point out the way. We believe the matter requires the careful study of the best lawyers.

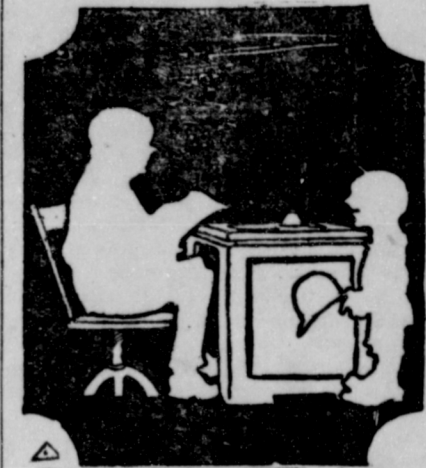
James Stanfield, superintendent of the K. & P. Lumber Co., at Le Rose, Owsley county, was here Tuesday in search of timber cutters. He informed us that it would take at least ten years to finish cutting their timber in that section. See advertisement in another column.

Charles N. Cope, son of T. T. Cope, was licensed to practice law in the courts of Perry county at Hazard last week.

Wesley Turner, Sr., of Canoe, was here Monday.

WHEN I WAS A KID.

When I was a kid I served a term As a roustabout with the Lexington Herald firm.
I washed the rollers and I mopped the floor,
And I put the dirty water o'er the sanctum door.
I balanced the pail so carefuller, They gave me the ruler where it hadn't ought to be.
P. S.—The Boss bought a new suit.
I put a pillow beneath my vest, And somewhere else—you may guess the rest.
I pulled the proofs on the old hand press
And I mixed the "takes" in a lovely mess,
I mixed them up so fine and free They dusted my clothes quite thoroughlee.
P. S.—The foreman also dealt me a hand or two. Clubs trumps.
In course of time I learned the case;
Each little type in its place.
The very first time I filled my hand
I threw it in to beat the band.
I filled that primer case so quick I made all former records sick.
P. S.—It was eight point at that, too.



I turned the hand press and I wrapped the mail,
I dumped the paste in the old lye pail.
I washed the forms when the run was through,
And I rinsed them off with liquid glue,
Oh, I rinsed them off so thoroughlee
The foreman spent a week looking for me.
P. S.—The printers threw the type in with a hammer.
They showed me the type lice in the face,
They sent me for an Italic space.
I found it on a beer glass rack,
And brought it back in a canvass sack.
I threw the sack upon the floor,
And then bolted out and locked the door.
P. S.—Oh, yes, I forgot. It was a hornet's nest.
Now, printer devils, all; you may take it from me,
Forget your past, resplendent though it be,
And drive it out of your memoree,
Forget your past when you lay it away.
For you may be foreman of THE BREATHITT COUNTY NEWS some day.
P. S.—Capital punishment of devils is discouraged.

A special from Campton under date of March 10 says:
B. H. Tutt, aged eighteen years, son of S. M. Tutt, who was cut on January 15, by George Dykes, died Saturday evening. The sheriff, with a posse, left immediately for Neola, the home of Dykes, to arrest him on the charge of murder. At the time of the trouble between Tutt and Dykes, Dykes was here attending court to answer the charge of killing Andy Wilson, the leader of the Wilson side in the Wilson-Dykes feud. Since the cutting of Tutt, the Dykes have been arrested and held under a bond on the charge of shooting and wounding Green Patrick, a witness for the Commonwealth against them in the feud case. Two men have been killed and four wounded in the Wilson-Dykes feud.

A Western editor has come to the conclusion that people who desire "puffs" in his paper must pay the following prices: For telling the public that a man is a successful citizen when everybody knows he is as lazy as a government mule, \$2.75; referring to a deceased citizen as one who is mourned by the entire community, when he knows he will only be missed by the poker circles, \$1.08; referring to some gallivanting female as an estimable lady whom it is a pleasure to meet, when every business man in town would rather see the devil coming, horns, hoofs and all, than to see her coming toward them, \$3.10; calling an ordinary pulpit pounder an eminent divine, \$6.99; sending a tough sinner to heaven with poetry, \$5.—Lexington Leader.

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Henry Shepherd, of Decoy, was here Saturday. He has recently been appointed postmaster at that place.



"Is there any answer, boy?"
Messenger Boy—I don't know; I didn't have time to read it.—New York World.

CHEAPER FARM LAND.

Southwest Offers Best Opportunities for Securing Homes.

Many farmers in the Northern and Eastern states are selling their high priced lands and locating in the Southwest. Many who have been unable to own their homes in the older country are buying land in the new country.

Unusual opportunities exist along the lines of the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain Route. The rich, alluvial, delta lands and river bottom lands of Southeast Missouri, Eastern Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas, capable of producing 60 bushels of corn, a bale of cotton, 4 to 6 tons of alfalfa, 150 bushels of potatoes, and other grains, vegetables and hay crops, can be bought for \$7.50 to \$15.00 per acre. When cleared and slightly improved will rent for \$4.00 to \$6.00 per acre cash.

Uplands more rolling, lighter soil, adapted to fruit growing—peaches, pears, plums, grapes, berries—also melons, tomatoes and other vegetables, can be bought for \$5.00 to \$10.00 per acre in unimproved state. Many places with small clearings can be bought very cheap.

This is a fine stock country. No long winter feeding. Free range, pure water, mild climate. A healthy, growing country with a great future.

Write for map and descriptive literature on Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas Kansas or Indian Territory. Very cheap rates on first and third Tuesdays of each month. Address, A. A. GALLAGHER, D. P. A., Cincinnati, O. or H. C. TOWNSEND, G. P. & T. A., St. Louis, Mo.

Greatly Reduced Rates to the West and Southwest.

On the first and third Tuesdays in March, 1906, the Southern Railway will have on sale special one-way and round-trip excursion rates to many points in the West and Southwest.

We will also have on sale, up to April 17th included, One-Way Settlers' Rates to California and North Pacific Coast points at extraordinary low rates. For full particulars address H. C. King, City Ticket Agent, W. G. Morgan, Depot Ticket Agent, or J. F. Logan, Trav. Pass. Agent, 111 E. Main street, Lexington, Ky.

Stop with Hart Bros., at Reed hotel when in Lexington.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, March 14.—Hogs: strong; butchers and shippers, \$6 45@6 50; common, \$5 25@6 35. Cattle steady; fair and good shippers, \$4 50@5 25; common, \$3 00. Sheep strong; 3 25@5 50. Lambs active, \$4 25@7 50.

OUR BIG CLUBBING OFFER.

By special arrangement with the Southern Agriculturist, the popular semi-monthly farm paper of Nashville, Tenn., we are able to give our readers the advantage of a clubbing offer which we believe is the most liberal ever made by any newspaper in the South.

In the first place, we will send the Southern Agriculturist a whole year free to any new or old subscriber who pays us for a year's subscription to our own paper. This great semi-monthly farm paper goes twice every month into 50,000 southern homes, and the regular price is 50 cents a year. It is edited by southern men and women to suit southern conditions and is just what our farmers need. It answers free of charge any question a subscriber may ask, and its advice is given in a plain, practical way which any farmer can understand. All departments of farm life are covered, including delightful home and children's pages. Sample copies free at our office.

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Industrious Hen (poultry).... 50
Southern Fruit Grower..... 50

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These papers are all of Southern publications and each is a leader in its particular field. Order this club and you will get a big year's reading at nominal cost.

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NOTICE.

All persons owing J. M. Osborn are hereby notified to pay their accounts to the undersigned trustee without delay or further notice and all persons having claims against said J. M. Osborn are notified to present same, properly proven to J. L. McCoy, Trustee for J. M. Osborn.

FOR SALE.

One house and lot, with about two acres of ground, within one-half mile of the court house.

Also, nine-twelfths interest in the John Robertson farm, which is situated about 1 1/2 miles above Jackson. Any one wanting a bargain will do well to call on

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NOTICE OF SALE.

On Saturday, March 24, At one o'clock, p. m., from the court house door in

BEATTYVILLE, LEE CO., KY.,

I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following property, to-wit:

103 gallons of Bourbon whisky,
Two copper stills,
Two worms and one still cap.
Eleven fermenters and all other distilling apparatus belonging to the distillery of Elihu Reynolds, and seized on January 5th for violations.
20-22

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Local and Personal

All kinds of Vegetables at C. Hadden's.

H. L. Bales has moved from Frozen to Simpson.

T. M. Davidson, of Woburn, was here the first of the week.

Breck Herald, of Herald, was here the first of the week.

You will find a complete line of wall paper at J. R. Blake's.

Sanford Brown, of Lambrie, was here on business Wednesday.

What you want in wall paper can be found at J. R. Blake's.

Clarence Hadden has just gotten in a nice line of Fine Candies.

Rev. J. B. Flinchum, of Frozen, was here on business Saturday.

Rev. E. D. Boggs, of Oakdale, was a caller at our office Monday.

Hon. M. E. Murphy, of Frozen, was here on business Wednesday.

William Griffith, of Frozen, was here during the week attending court.

Hon. D. D. Sublett, of Salyersville, was here during the week attending court.

Robin Burton, of Crockettville, was here the first of the week attending court.

James Brophy returned Friday from a visit to friends in Nicholas and Harrison counties.

Miss Emaline Turner has accepted a position as deputy in the circuit clerk's office.

Judge Amos Davis, of West Liberty, has announced as a candidate for Congress from this district.

We will sell goods for less money than any firm in town. Call and see for yourselves.

NOBLE & NOBLE.

Sim Jett, of Athol, returned last week from a trip down the river, where he sold his logs at a good price.

Hadden Bros. have opened up their new store in the new Sewell building, near the south end of the Jackson bridge.

George W. Deaton has sold his farm near the mouth of Troublesome to Walter C. Strong, consideration, \$2,000. Mr. Deaton will probably remain there for the present year.

Peter Hays, Sr., died at his home, about two miles above town, last Friday, after a long illness of dropsy and general debility. His remains were buried in the Snowden graveyard the next day.

Miss Bessie Hoskins left last Friday for West Virginia to visit her sister, Mrs. L. S. Thompson. She stopped over at Lexington a few days as the guest of her brothers, Bernie and Kelly Hoskins.

The Perry County Telephone Co. has the poles set on its new line to the mouth of Grapevine and will have them set to Jackson in a few days. The line will probably be completed and in operation within a short time.

W. H. Whittaker has added new furniture, water works and various other improvements to his barber shop on Court street, in the Crawford building, making it one of the best furnished barber shops in Eastern Kentucky.

The case against Curtis Jett, for the murder of James Cockrill, was called at Cynthiana last week and was continued until June 4. A motion was made by the defendant to have the trial moved back to Breathitt county, but was overruled by the court.

Judge Alex Strong, of Athol, was here Tuesday attending court. He enjoys the distinction of having served as County Judge of both Breathitt and Lee counties while living at the same place. His farm having been cut off to Lee in the organization of that county.

Green B. Maloney shot and seriously wounded Wm. Maloney last Saturday morning. The difficulty came up between them over some work at Muir's log camp, near Simpson. Green B. Maloney came in Saturday evening and surrendered himself to Judge Taulbee, who held him in a bond of \$2,000, which he gave.

New Lettuce, Onions, Raddish, Rhubarb, Asparagus and Kale Friday and Saturday at C. Hadden's.

The weather here for the past week has been very disagreeable, probably the worst during the winter—rain, snow, sleet, etc.

Mrs. Sarah Martin, who lives on South Quicksand, was thrown from a horse one day last week, and sustained a fracture of the leg just below the knee.

Hon. Frank Hopkins, Congressman from this district, has been appointed the Kentucky member of the Democratic campaign committee.

John E. Patrick was visiting his sister, Mrs. C. J. Little, at Winchester, and his brothers, James C. and George H. Patrick, at Stanton, during the past week.

All persons owing the firm of Noble & Noble, either by notes or accounts, will call and settle at once, or collections will be enforced. Our needs demand it.

Respectfully yours,

NOBLE & NOBLE.

Roy V. Hennen, of Morgantown, W. Va., is visiting Attorney Martin T. Kelly this week. Mr. Hennen is assistant geologist of West Virginia, and is taking a look at the resources of Eastern Kentucky. He is considered one of the best of the younger school of geologists in the United States, and is especially well-known in his reports of the coal, oil and gas fields of West Virginia and Western Pennsylvania. His map of West Virginia can be found in many of the offices of Jackson.

A new narrow gauge railroad with passenger accommodations has been built from Natural Bridge to a point within four and one-half miles of Campton by Floyd Day and John C. M. Day. They intend to complete the road on to Campton in the early spring and the grading for the balance of the road will begin just as soon as the weather will admit. This road will be a great convenience to those who want to visit the Campton oil fields, as the dirt roads from Torrent to Campton are now well nigh impassable. We hope the Day Bros, who are behind this enterprise and who have done so much for that section will reap the reward to which they are so justly entitled.

Removals.

William Byrd has moved from Stevenson to Bud Back's farm, on Bradbourn.

Sam T. Landrum has moved from Robbins to the mouth of Lost Creek.

Mrs. Maetha Landrum and her son, Benton, have moved to the farm which she recently purchased of J. L. Hagins on Quicksand.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been issued during the past week:

William Spencer and Miss Lizzie Johnson, both of Oakdale; Daniel Watson and Miss Ella Duke, both of Evalyn, Lee county; Willie Dunn and Miss Elvira Spencer, both of Robbins; John Hollon and Miss Nancy Potter, both of Elkatawa.

Accident to John Blanton's Child.

The four-year-old son of John H. Blanton was seriously injured Wednesday evening by a tree falling on him near his home at Lambrie. He had gone to the woods where trees were being cut for saw logs by his father and some hands and was not discovered until after he had been hurt. Drs. Hog and Swango were called and left here Wednesday night, but as the scene of the accident is about twenty miles from here we have not heard anything further. Mr. Blanton is the Assessor of this county and it is to be hoped that his child may recover.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the Jackson postoffice for the week ending March 16, 1906, and sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington, D. C., for the week ending March 30, '06:

C—Bud Combs.
D—C. S. Duncan.
H—Sam Hopper.
I—Chas. Ingram.
L—George Limback.
M—Thos. Minter, Jane Morris.
O—Jack O'Donnell.
P—P. B. Phillips.
S—R. S. Strong, Nettie Sewell.
Persons calling for the above mail will please say "advertised."
D. D. HUNST, P. M.

Hot Air Railroad.

H. S. Noble and Z. H. Miller, of Ned, were in town Monday, said to be on railroad business and making many promises concerning the building of the extension. Their business here Monday, they said, was in regard to making contracts for laborers and material. They reported laborers to be very scarce and did not succeed in employing a single man.

In Honor of "Mr. Bob."

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Henry gave a very delightful dinner at their beautiful home, "Glen Eyrie," last Thursday evening, Miss Margaret Denham being the guest of honor. The table was decorated with American Beauty roses and silver candelabra, and in all it was a most enjoyable occasion. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gorton, Misses Denham, Reese and Osborne, and Messrs. Wright Kelly and Vitz.

The Powers Case.

Caleb Powers will be tried again in the Kentucky courts. The Supreme Court, in an opinion by Justice Harlan, Monday, at Washington, held that the case could not be transferred to the Federal Court upon the grounds set forth by the defendant, and the State was awarded custody of the prisoner. Justice Harlan, in discussing the case, indicated that it might yet come before the Federal Court after the final decision of the Kentucky courts had been rendered. Powers has been tried three times by the circuit court of Scott county and each time found guilty, once receiving a sentence to death and twice a sentence of life imprisonment, but the Kentucky Court of Appeals interfered in each instance to prevent the execution.

Will Be Tried in Lee County.

Circuit Court convened here last Monday with special Judge J. L. Dorsey, of Henderson, on the bench. The only business before the court was the hearing of a motion for a change of venue in the cases of the Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Hargis, Callahan &c. The Judge announced that he would at once begin the hearing of testimony on the motion and that fifteen witnesses would be heard on each side. The Commonwealth proved by all their witnesses that they did not think it probable that a jury could be selected in this county in the usual way that juries are selected that would be able to give both the Commonwealth and defense a fair and impartial trial and many of the witnesses thought most of the men qualified for jury service had formed or expressed an opinion in the case and would therefore be disqualified. Some of the defense witnesses were of the same opinion. On the conclusion of the testimony the case was argued by J. J. C. Back and Judge Blanton for the defense and by A. F. Byrd for the prosecution.

The court announced his opinion that he believed that neither side could get a fair and impartial trial in this county and ordered a change of venue and asked the counsel on both sides to try to agree where the case should be sent. But no county in the State seemed to suit both sides. The prosecution announced that they were willing that the case should go to any county in the State that had any railroad connection so their witnesses could attend, except the county of Lee. The defense selected Elliott county or Knott county or Morgan county, but the prosecution objected on the ground that these places were almost inaccessible in the winter months on account of the bad condition of the roads, as neither of the places had any railroad communications. The court finally decided on Lee county and ordered the cases moved to that county for trial.

The defendants were allowed bail in the sum of \$10,000 each, which they gave.

The removal of these cases is a great relief to Breathitt county, as her dockets are already crowded and it will give our circuit judge a chance to clear them up. It will also remove the scene of excitement from among us and give our people a chance to attend to their business pursuits and to forget as much as possible all their old troubles and unpleasantness. We hope the people of Lee county will treat both sides with such fairness and impartiality that neither side will have any just cause for complaint.

MRS. MARCUM'S STATEMENT.

The following is taken from the Lexington Leader of March 11: JACKSON, KY., March 10.—In regard to the order of Judge Dorsey in allowing bail to James Hargis and others charged with the murder of J. B. Marcum, the following statement has been given out by Mrs. Marcum:

"I notice in the columns of the Lexington Herald of March 8 an inquiry from certain citizens of Anderson county as to why Judge Dorsey allowed bail to James Hargis and others charged with the murder of my husband, in advance of the motion for bail before the motion for change of venue was settled. Judge Dorsey gives as his reason for granting bail, that the jail was not in a sanitary condition and that it would probably impair the health of the prisoners. Witnesses were introduced, both by the defendants and by the Commonwealth, to prove the condition of the jail and the number of persons confined. The proof showed that it was not a very pleasant and agreeable place, but that it was in as good condition as jails are ordinarily kept in.

"The jail, I understand, was in a better condition than when turned over by the Hargis administration to Jailer Little on the first day of January, and no other prisoners had heretofore been admitted to bail, so far as I know, on account of the sanitary conditions of the jail, nor the numbers confined. The prisoners confined at the same time with Judge Hargis were charged with sundry crimes, such as liquor selling and other penal offenses, and no leniency was asked for nor offered to any of these. I make no complaint against the order of Judge Dorsey if he believed that he was discharging his duty in so doing, but it is to be borne in mind that the man whom these prisoners are charged with killing was taken without a word of warning, and he has never been given emancipation nor liberty from the eternal confinement into which he was consigned. It may be the custom of courts to allow temporary bail, regardless of the enormity of the crime alleged, yet there seems, so far as I know, to be no justification for such action under the law. Personally, I was very much impressed with Judge Dorsey as being a gentleman of the highest type and a lawyer of ability, and the same impression was made upon the people of Jackson, so far as I have heard.

"The motion which comes up before Judge Dorsey on next Monday for change of venue, alleges that such a state of lawlessness exists in the county that a fair trial cannot be had, together with various other reasons. It is not meant that such lawlessness exists that firearms will be resorted to, but that the Commonwealth can not have a fair trial on account of the fact that there is no competent jury in this county and in the counties adjacent. I believe that all the good citizens of this section have already formed and expressed their opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the defendants and should these be summoned should be discharged on that account.

"Another obstacle in the way of having the trial in this county would be the fact that the defendants would probably object to the present sheriff acting in the trials of the cases, and an elisor would have to be appointed. The court being a stranger and therefore not knowing anything about the proper men for such work, would be liable to select some one altogether prejudicial to one side or the other and thereby preclude an impartial and fair trial. Justice is what I want at the hands of those in authority, and I hope that the court charged with the administration of justice in this case will grant a fair and impartial hearing.

"When my husband was being pursued by the vile wretches who sought his life, and when it became apparent that the awful plot was formed to take his life, I promised him that I would spare nothing in prosecuting his slayers if they should succeed. This I have done in a feeble way, and this I will continue to do so long as power and strength are given me for such arduous and trying duty.

"I feel that the men charged with this crime are entitled to no more favors at the hands of justice

than any other men charged with a similarly grave offense."

A great many railroad ties have been brought down during the last few days, which were sold at good prices.

MEN WANTED.

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S. D. FLEENOR,

JEWELER AND OPTICIAN,
JACKSON, KY.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Breathitt Circuit Court.
J. Andrew Cain, Plaintiff,
vs.
C. L. Terrill, Defendant.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale in the above-styled case, entered at the February term, 1906, of the Breathitt Circuit Court, I, or one of my deputies, will on

SATURDAY MARCH 17, 1906,

near the residence of the defendant, C. L. Terrill, on Frozen Creek, Breathitt County, Ky., offer for sale to the highest and best bidder the following described property, to-wit:

One steam saw mill, boiler, engine and the fixtures belonging thereto, located near Logan Terrill's residence, on Frozen Creek, Breathitt County, Kentucky.

Terms: Sale will be made on a credit of three months. Bond to be executed with good and approved security, payable to the Sheriff of Breathitt county. Bond to bear legal interest from day of sale and having the force and effect of a replevin bond.

This March 1st, 1906.
Amount of debt and interest to day of sale.....\$553.00
Costs.....27 05

Total.....\$580 95
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By S. H. FUGATE, D. S.

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A Good Change.
She—So Dauber has given up the pen for the brush?
He—Yes. He's a street sweeper now.
—New York World.

Well Worth Trying.
W. H. Brown, the popular pension attorney, of Pittsfield, Vt., says: "Next to a pension the best thing to get is Dr. King's New Life Pills." He writes: "They keep my family in splendid health." Quick cure for headache, constipation and biliousness. 25¢ Guaranteed at Jackson Drug Co.

1900 Calendars For 1906.
Do you throw away your old calendars? A Paris statistician has discovered that it is a mistake to do so and, being of an economical turn of mind, has discovered further that calendars for 1900 will serve equally well for 1906. As a rule, of course, a calendar is only of use eleven years later and leap year upsets this calculation pretty often. But as 1900 was allotted 365 days of old, instead of 366, the days of the 1906 week fit exactly those of 1900.—London Express.

The Breath of Life.
It is a significant fact that the strongest animal of its size, the gorilla, also has the largest lungs. Powerful lungs means powerful creatures. How to keep the breathing organs right should be man's chief study. Like thousands of others, Mrs. Ora A. Stephens, of Port Williams, O., has learned how to do this. She writes: "Three bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery stopped my cough of two years and cured me of what my friends thought consumption. It's grand for throat and lung troubles." Guaranteed by the Jackson Drug Co. Price 50¢ and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

The Terms Suited Him.
The late J. Warren Bigelow, for many years a prominent member of the Worcester county board of commissioners, was fond of relating this story:
One winter day a man stood in front of a store where men's shirts were displayed. A few were hung outside, and one particularly took his fancy. Without waiting to inquire the price, he seized it and started down the street.
The dealer happened to see him and immediately gave chase. Seeing that the thief outran him, he cried out, "Well, if I don't get the pay in this world I shall in the world to come!"
"Oh," called back the man with the shirt, "if you want to wait till then I'll take another shirt!"—Boston Herald.

A Chicago Alderman Owes His Election to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.
"I can heartily and conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for affections of the throat and lungs," says Hon. John Shenick, 23rd St. Peoria St., Chicago. "Two years ago during a political campaign, I caught cold after being overheated, which irritated my throat and I was finally compelled to stop, as I could not speak aloud. In my extremity a friend advised me to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I took two doses that afternoon and could not believe my senses when I found the next morning the inflammation had largely subsided. I took several doses that kept right on talking through the campaign and I thank this medicine that I won my seat in the council." This remedy is for sale by Jackson Drug Co.

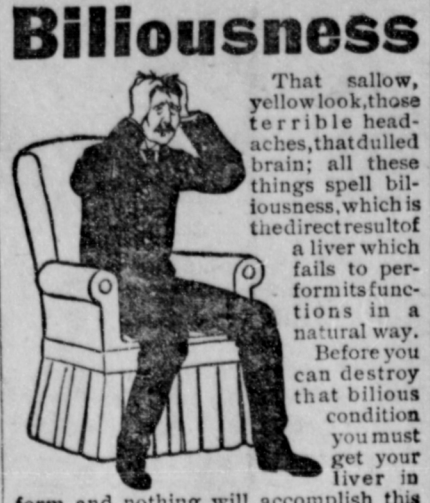
When Lightning Strikes a Tree.
Professor Atkinson, an expert in electricity, is authority for the theory that it is not so much the mechanical force exerted by a lightning stroke that tears a tree to atoms as the explosive force caused by the sudden conversion of the fluids in the tree to gases. The heat of the lightning vaporizes the fluids, and the expansion is so violent that the tree is rent into fragments.

Champion Liniment for Rheumatism.
Chas. Drake, a mail carrier at Chappell, Conn., says: "Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the champion of all liniments. The past year I was troubled a great deal with rheumatism in my shoulder. After trying several cures the storekeeper here recommended this remedy and it completely cured me." There is no use of anyone suffering from that painful ailment when this liniment can be obtained for a small sum. One application gives prompt relief and its continued use for a short time will produce a permanent cure. For sale by Jackson Drug Company.

Mark Twain's Toast.
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Do Not Be Imposed Upon.
Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. These worthless imitations have similar sounding names. Beware of them. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar is in a yellow package. Ask for it and refuse any substitute. It is the best remedy for coughs or colds. Jackson Drug Company.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy
Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.



Biliousness
That sallow, yellow look, those terrible headaches, that dulled brain; all these things spell biliousness, which is the direct result of a liver which fails to perform its functions in a natural way. Before you can destroy that bilious condition you must get your liver in form and nothing will accomplish this so quickly or so thoroughly as

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin
(Laxative)
This remedy is the most valuable one obtainable for all liver and kindred troubles, possessing properties which drive it directly to the affected parts. Better than pills, oils, salts and nauseous purgatives which aggravate conditions and leave the sufferer in worse condition than before. Former afflicted ones, now well and strong, pay eloquent tribute to its efficacy and power.
DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN can be obtained in both dollar and half-dollar sizes from all druggists. Your money will be refunded if it does not benefit you.
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Origin of Modern Etiquette.
This custom originated in the eleventh century, when, assassination being unhealthily frequent, married men courtously encouraged their wives to go before them.—Sketch.

G. B. Burhans Testifies After Four Years.
G. B. Burhans, of Carlisle Center, N. Y., writes: "About four years ago I wrote you stating that I had been entirely cured of a severe kidney trouble by taking less than two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It entirely stopped the brick dust sediment, and pain and symptoms of kidney disease disappeared. I am glad to say that I have never had a return of any of those symptoms during the four years that have elapsed and I am evidently cured to stay cured, and heartily recommend Foley's Kidney Cure to any one suffering from kidney or bladder trouble. Jackson Drug Co."

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Don't frown—look pleasant. If you are suffering from indigestion or sour stomach take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Hon. Jake Moore, of Atlanta, Ga., says: "I suffered more than 20 years with indigestion. A friend recommended Kodol. It relieved me in one day and I now enjoy better health than for many years." Kodol digests what you eat, relieves sour stomach, gas on stomach, belching, etc. Sold by Jackson Drug Company.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right



No Question of It.
Customer—But are you sure they won't shrink?
Dealer—My dear, I wears them myself every day it rains!

Starving to Death
Because her stomach was so weakened by useless drugging that she could not eat, Mrs. Mary H. Walters, St. Clair St., Columbus, O., was literally starving to death. She writes: "My stomach was so weak from useless drugs that I could not eat and my nerves so wrecked that I could not sleep; and not before I was given up to die was I induced to try Electric Bitters; with the wonderful result that improvement began at once and a complete cure followed." Best health tonic on earth. 50¢. Guaranteed by the Jackson Drug Co.

New Inlet to Alaskan Goldfields.
The building of the Alaska Central railroad from Seward is proving to be an encouragement to prospectors to explore the country along its route. This has resulted in the location of several gold bearing quartz claims in the vicinity of Kenai lake, some twenty miles from the town of Seward. Several very fine specimens of quartz showing free gold were brought out from this section late in the season, and the probabilities are that some systematic development will be attempted this year.—W. M. Brewer in Engineering Magazine.

Cures Blood Poison, Cancer, Ulcers.

If you have offensive pimples or eruptions, ulcers on any part of the body, aching bones or joints, falling hair, mucous patches, swollen glands, skin itches and burns, sore lips and gums, eating, festering sores, sharp, gnawing pains, then you suffer from serious blood poison or the beginnings of a deadly cancer. You may be permanently cured by taking Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.) made especially to cure the worst blood and skin diseases. Heals every sore or ulcer, even deadly cancer, stops all aches and pains and reduces all swellings. Botanic Blood Balm cures all malignant blood troubles, such as eczema, scabs and scales, pimples, running sores, carbuncles, scrofula. Druggists \$1. To prove it cures, sample of Balm sent free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and free medical advice sent in sealed letter.



A Wrong Idea.
"I say, auntie, what's that funny man with the red coat?"
"He's been hunting deer."

Dangers of Pneumonia.
A cold at this time if neglected is liable to cause pneumonia which is so often fatal, and even when the patient has recovered the lungs are weakened, making them peculiarly susceptible to the development of consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar will stop the cough, heal and strengthen the lungs and prevent pneumonia. La grippe coughs yield quickly to the wonderful curative qualities of Foley's Honey and Tar. There is nothing else "just as good." Jackson Drug Co.



History Repents Itself.
"Gee! Like Julius Caesar, I've went an' burned me britches behind me!"
—New York World.

If it is a bilious attack take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by the Jackson Drug Company.

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To have a happy home you must have children, as they are great happy-home makers. If a weak woman, you can be made strong enough to bear healthy children, with little pain or discomfort to yourself, by taking

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Woman's Relief

It will ease away all your pain, reduce inflammation, cure leucorrhea (whites), falling womb, ovarian trouble, disordered menses, backache, headache, etc., and make childbirth natural and easy. Try it. At every drug store in \$1.00 bottles.

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"DUE TO CARDUI"
and nothing else, is my baby girl, now two weeks old," writes Mrs. J. P. West, of Webster City, Iowa. "She is a fine, healthy babe and we are both doing nicely."



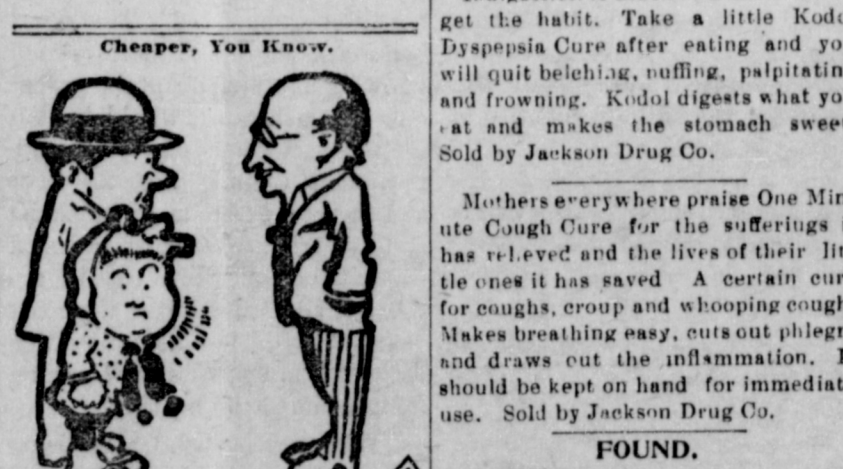
"Accepts With Pleasure."
Mr. Crow—Come on, Maria; there's a nice old gentleman waiting to us to come down and eat some seeds.—New York World.

A Safe Cough Medicine for Children.
In buying a cough medicine for children never be afraid to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it and relief is always sure to follow. It is especially valuable for colds, croup and whooping cough. For sale by Jackson Drug Company.



Good Reason Why.
Old Blood—But, my dear young man, I can't understand you being a Radical.
Young Blood—Ay, dear old chap, my mother-in-law's a Conservative.—Tatler.

"To Cure a Felon"
says Sam Kendall, of Phillipsburg, Kan., "just over it over with Bucklen's Arnica Salve and the Salve will do the rest. Quickest cure for burns, boils, sores, scalds, wounds, piles, eczema, salt rheum, chapped hands, sore feet and sore eyes. Only 25¢ at the Jackson Drug Co. Guaranteed.



Cheaper, You Know.
Father—Can you take a tooth out for my son?
Dentist—Yes, but if I give him gas it will cost you 5 shillings.
Father—Oh, well, I'll come again when it's daylight, then.—Scraps.

If you are troubled with piles and can't find a cure try Witch Hazel Salve but be sure you get that made by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. It is the Original. If you have used Witch Hazel Salve without being relieved it is probable that you have got hold of one of the many worthless counterfeits that are sold on the reputation of the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by the Jackson Drug Co.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

Lexington & Eastern R'y O. & K. Railway.

WINTER TIME TABLE.
EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 22, 1905.

WEST BOUND

No. 1 Daily	No. 2 Daily	No. 3 Daily	No. 4 Daily
EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday
Lv Jackson,	6:25	7:25	8:25
O & K Junction	6:29	7:29	8:29
Elkdale	6:33	7:33	8:33
Oakdale	6:49	7:49	8:49
Athol	6:55	7:55	8:55
Tallega	7:04	8:04	9:04
St. Helens	7:10	8:10	9:10
Beattyville Jun	7:26	8:26	9:26
Torrent	7:41	8:41	9:41
Natural Bridge	8:01	9:01	10:01
Stanton	8:28	9:28	10:28
Clay City	8:37	9:37	10:37
L & E Junction	9:10	10:10	11:10
Winchester	9:23	10:23	11:23
Lv Lexington	10:10	11:10	12:10

EAST BOUND.

No. 2 Daily	No. 3 Daily	No. 4 Daily	No. 5 Daily
EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday
Lv Lexington,	2:25	7:45	8:25
Winchester	3:10	8:25	9:05
L & E Junction	3:22	8:37	9:17
Clay City	3:58	9:13	9:53
Stanton	4:06	9:23	10:03
Natural Bridge	4:35	9:54	10:34
Torrent	4:49	10:08	10:48
Beattyville Jun	5:11	10:29	11:09
St Helens	5:21	10:39	11:19
Tallega	5:38	10:51	11:31
Athol	5:41	10:59	11:39
Oakdale	5:48	11:06	11:46
Elkdale	6:01	11:22	12:02
O & K June	6:05	11:28	12:08
Ar Jackson,	6:10	11:30	12:10

Louisville & Atlantic R'y.

Fast Mail in effect February 15, 1906

WEST BOUND.

No. 1 Daily	No. 2 Daily	No. 3 Daily	No. 4 Daily
EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday
Lv Jackson,	6:25	7:25	8:25
Lv Beattyville Junction	10:30	11:30	12:30
Ar Beattyville	10:50	11:50	12:50
Lv Irvine	12:25	13:25	14:25
Ar Richmond	1:30	2:30	3:30
Lv Richmond	1:35	2:35	3:35
Ar Valley View	2:02	3:02	4:02
Nicholasville	2:27	3:27	4:27
Versailles	2:57	3:57	4:57
Louisville	3:15	4:15	5:15

EAST BOUND.

No. 1 Daily	No. 2 Daily	No. 3 Daily	No. 4 Daily
EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday	EX. Sunday
Lv Louisville	6:10	7:10	8:10
Ar Versailles	9:10	10:10	11:10
Nicholasville	10:20	11:20	12:20
Valley View	10:47	11:47	12:47
Richmond	11:15	12:15	13:15
Lv Richmond	11:25	12:25	13:25
Irvine	12:25	13:25	14:25
Ar Beattyville	2:00	3:00	4:00
Lv Beattyville	2:40	3:40	4:40
Ar Beattyville Junction	3:00	4:00	5:00
Ar Jackson	6:15	7:15	8:15

GEORGETOWN & LEXINGTON TRACTION CO.

Cars leave Lexington for Paris every hour from 6 a. m. to 7 p. m., and at 8 p. m. Leave Paris every hour from 7 a. m. to 8 p. m. and at 10 p. m. Single fare 40 cents.

Leave Lexington for Georgetown every hour from 7 a. m. to 1 p. m., except 11 a. m. i. p. m. 8 p. m. and 10 p. m. Leave Georgetown every hour from 6 a. m. to 10 p. m., except 10 a. m. 12 m. and 7 and 9 p. m.

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Solid Pullman Train
Leave CHICAGO 8:00 A. M.
Leave LEXINGTON 10:30 A. M.
Leave DANVILLE 12:40 A. M.
Dining and Observation Cars for Jacksonville and New Orleans via Jacksonville and Savannah.

Florida Limited
Solid Train
Leave CHICAGO 8:00 A. M.
Leave LEXINGTON 10:30 A. M.
Leave DANVILLE 12:40 A. M.
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